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Tennis Notes.

Tennis is in full swing this week in Didsbury. The courts have been put in shape and the Tennis Club intends to keep them in this condition throughout the playing season. The tickets are remarkably low in price; \$5.00 for gentlemen, \$2.00 for ladies, \$1.00 for school students and \$8.00 for a family. The executive plans to run one or two local novelty tournaments, of a handicap type, to encourage players who are just beginning. Facilities have been added, enabling the club to have water available at all times, which will preclude the drying out of former years.

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The District Cup meeting is being held this week at Olds, regarding inter-town matches, a feature which should prove more interesting this year than ever. It would appear that the local tennis club is in for one of its best seasons.

Gun Club Notes.

The Gun Club held their second shoot on Monday evening. The blustery weather made shooting difficult so the scores were not up to average.

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The club is organizing a competition for .22 rifle target shooting. Any shooter over twelve years of age may enter the Dominion Marksmen .22 Contest and compete for bronze, silver and gold medals. The rules are simple and application blank and targets are supplied free.

Winner of the Guessing Contest for the Congoleum Rug conducted by J. V. Bericht last week, was Miss Jeanne McDonald, whose guess was 2371, the concealed number being 2382.

Dr. Wallace to Leave Alberta.

Dr. R. C. Wallace, president of the University of Alberta, has been appointed principal of the Queen's University to succeed Dr. W. Hamilton Fyfe, who accepted the principalship of Aberdeen University, it was announced Tuesday. Dr. Wallace will assume his duties Sept. 1.

Temperance Poster Contest Results

Following is a list of prizewinners in the Scientific Temperance Contest conducted by the W.C.T.U. in the public school:

Grade 8: Milford Cressman 1st; Lois Cunningham and Elbert Daniels, tied, 2nd; Earl Cummings and Harvey Stevens, tied, 3rd.

Grade 7: No 1st; Betty Gage 2nd; Jean Durrant 3rd.

Grade 6: Edith Royds 1st; Nita Wallace 2nd.

Grade 5: No 1st; Gordon Reist 2nd; Edna Kercher 3rd.

Golf Notes.

The officials would like to have all score card turned in as soon as possible so that the handicap event can be proceeded with.

It would be a good idea if the ladies would get together and elect their own officers. A mixed foursome could be arranged as soon as the ladies organize.

The course has been put in fine shape, all the greens having been weeded, raked and rolled during the past week.

Obituary.

MRS. BEN ROSENBERGER

Mrs Ben Rosenberger passed away at the age of 58 years on Thursday, May 14, 1936, in Didsbury.

Rosannah Snyder was born in Waterloo County, Ontario, on December 12, 1877, and was married to Ben Rosenberger on January 4, 1905.

She leaves to mourn her loss: her husband; one daughter, Mrs Fred Folkmann, of Didsbury, and one grandson; four brothers, Ephraim, of Bellingham, Washington, Alvin, of Edmonton, Edwin, of Camrose, William, of Didsbury, and one sister, Mrs George Sheline, of Bellingham, Washington, also survive.

Funeral services were conducted at the M.B.C. Church by Rev. F. Vincent, assisted by Rev. C. J. Hallman, and interment took place at Didsbury Cemetery.

The Durrer Funeral Chapel had charge of the funeral arrangements.

MRS. AMANDA THOMAN

Mrs. Amanda Thoman, aged 61 years, wife of David W. Thoman, died at her home in the Burnside district on Thursday, May 14, 1936.

Mrs Thoman was born at Mildmay, Ontario, on June 20, 1874. She was married to D. W. Thoman in 1907 and lived in Rochester, N.Y. for a year and then came to Alberta. They lived in Calgary for eight years and then moved to the Didsbury district. In 1918 they moved to their farm, 19 miles east of here, where she resided up to the time of her death.

The deceased was a member of the Pentecostal Church at Mayton and took an active part in the work of the church.

She leaves to mourn her loss: her husband, David, one son, Samuel, and one daughter, Ruth; also four sisters, Mrs Abe Meek, Martha Weigand, Sarah Weigand, Mrs. Menno Thoman, all of Kitchener, and two brothers, Henry and Sol Weigand, of Didsbury.

The funeral was held at Zion Evangelical Church, Didsbury, on Saturday, May 16th, with Rev. Andrew Dalby, of Mayton, conducting the service. The pallbearers were Messrs R E Miller, D. Hemke, D. Gill, Ed Maetche, V Hansen and Lockman.

The funeral appointments were conducted by the Durrer Funeral Home.

Refrigerator System Will Be Installed

Messrs. L. Heckel and A. Hergert, representing the United Refrigeration Company, are in the district soliciting business for a refrigeration plant.

The company proposes to establish a refrigeration plant in Didsbury, in which the farmers and townpeople may store their meat, butter, fruit and vegetables.

The plan provides for lockers about 30x30x24 and each patron will hold the key to his own locker. The plant will be kept at about 20 degrees, which will make it quite safe against any spoiling, at a cost of but a few cents a day.

Similar plants have proved very successful in the United States, and it is proposed to establish plants throughout the province.

Any information can be obtained from the above-named, or from C E Reiber — ADVT.

W. F. Imm's Home Destroyed by Fire

The farm home of W. F. Imm, near the Rosebud School, was totally destroyed by fire Monday afternoon.

When the fire broke out there was no one in the house. Mr. Imm being in town and Mrs. Imm working in the chicken house. When discovered the fire had got such headway that it was impossible to save any of the contents. A large number of neighbors and people from town gathered at the scene, but nothing could be done. A pump house which adjoined the home was also destroyed.

The house was a modern farm home and equipped with electricity and a water system.

The loss including building and contents, is estimated at about \$4,000.00, which is partly covered by insurance.

Doings of Our Neighbors

AT CROSSFIELD: The village council has passed a by-law to close all business houses on Wednesday afternoons during the summer.

Grand Band Concert

Under the Auspices of the Didsbury Band

Friday Evening, May 22nd

At 8.30 p.m.

Numbers by Local and Calgary Artists Selections by the Band

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Solid Socket Hoes, strong and well finished	79c
Shovels and Spades, all styles	95c
9 Tooth Adjustable Cultivators	98c
Small Transplanters and Cultivators	15c
Large Hedge Shears, well made and finished	98c
Sprinkling Cans, galvanized	89c
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An Immigration Policy?

Signs are not lacking that the question of a clearly defined immigration policy for Canada is one which will forge to the front in the comparatively near future, though it may not loom up on the horizon conspicuously at the present session of Parliament at Ottawa.

The matter is one which has not assumed very much importance during the period of depression but now that economists and others who speak with more or less authority and quote statistics freely in support of their contentions state that the corner has been definitely turned, it is not unnatural to assume that the problem of encouraging newcomers to this country on a more or less considerable scale will become sufficiently insistent from some influential quarters to demand official attention.

Indeed, even in Western Canada, where popular sentiment at the present time appears definitely opposed to settlement schemes or selective immigration of any kind, an occasional speaker arises at club luncheons in the cities to declare that immigration is a necessity before the problems confronting the country, including those of the farmers, can be solved.

On the other hand farmer organizations generally are opposed to land settlement projects, at least until such time as those trying to wrest a living out of the soil, are able to secure some better return for their labors than has been available during the past half dozen years.

The proponents of immigration and land settlement projects for non-residents of the country, however, stress the necessity for a substantial increase in population to provide tonnage for the railways and assert that until this objective is achieved the railway problem cannot be solved and this burden removed from the backs of the taxpayers.

Whatever may be the outcome of the conflict between these divergent points of view, and if encouragement, directly or indirectly, is again to be given citizens of other countries to transfer themselves and their families to Canadian soil, it is desirable that such policies will be devised as to ensure a reasonably strong infiltration of British stock, if such is available and can be attracted to this country. As to the latter there is some doubt about it on both sides of the Atlantic.

That the authorities in the Motherland are sympathetic to the idea is evident in the recent establishment of an Oversea Settlement Board with provision later for setting up a Central Committee on Oversea Settlement which latter body will be solely responsible for day to day administration.

Discussing the policies behind these two organizations the London Times, in a recent editorial takes the refreshing view that: "First must come the indirect method—the encouragement of economic improvement overseas—for instance, by expansion of the markets for Dominion produce where that is possible."

The Times, however, also pointed out that conditions which at one time brought about a strong migration movement from the Empire centre to overseas dominions has changed materially and as a result there is little likelihood of any immediate strong outward flow. The story is told in a terse sentence: "With the great dispersion of material comfort and pleasures there is a slackened incentive for people in this country to seek a new life overseas."

Supporting the viewpoint that there is not likely to be any tide of migration from the Motherland to Canada for years to come, E. L. Chicano, in an article in the Dalhousie (University) Review reprinted in a distributing brochure entitled "The Future Of Immigration", refers to the mal-advertising which Canada has received at the hands of British immigrants who have returned in large numbers to the Old Country in the last few years. He points out that in the four years from 1931 to 1935 the annual migration from the United Kingdom to Canada declined from 27,584 in 1931 to 2,260 in 1934, although during that period there had been no tightening up of regulations or restrictions, and asks "What is the explanation of this?"

"It is to be found, of course," says Prof. Chicano, "in the steady decline in Canadian economical conditions, plus a distinctly unfavorable attitude which has been developing in Britain towards Canada as a land of hope and opportunity. It is the latter which constitutes the more serious difficulty for Canada to overcome. One can confidently look for an improvement in Canadian domestic conditions which will make the Dominion at least as desirable a place for the average citizen as the British Isles seem to-day, but it is going to take much longer to eradicate those baneful views of Canada which have been subtly developing over the past few years."

New Type Of Dynamite

**Product Superior To Nitro-Glycerine
Made From Corn**

Corn dynamite, a new product of the test tube, potentially superior to nitro-glycerine, was reported to the American Chemical Society by its president, Prof. Edward Bartow, head of the University of Iowa department of chemistry.

Professor Bartow pictured the possibilities of corn, processed in this new fashion, being used all over the country to blast stumps from fields, excavate roads and skyscraper foundations, and "shoot" quarries, mines and oil wells.

The new explosive is one of several possibilities opened by production from corn of a sugar-like substance known as inositol, hitherto unavailable because extraction made it cost about \$500 a pound. In the last two months, Prof. Bartow said, Dr. W. W. Walker, of his department at Iowa, has discovered a method of extraction which cheapens the rare stuff, so many laboratories already have started work on its possible uses.

One Way To Reduce

A jockey in Singapore, British Malaya, thinks he has the best way to lose flesh. When he walks to get his weight down he puts on four suits of underwear, a sweater and trousers, then a rubber raincoat, and then another sweater and trousers. He then walks five miles in a temperature of 95 degrees—and loses from five to eight pounds.

Nearly 26,000,000 gallons of milk were consumed by children at schools of England last year.

School Examinations

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WAKE UP YOUR LIVER BILE—

And You'll Jump Out of Bed in the Morning Rarin' to Go

The liver should pour out two pounds of bile into your bowels daily. If this bile is not flowing freely, your food doesn't digest. It all decays. You get constipated. Gases stop your stomach. You get constipated. Harmful poisons go into the body, and you feel sour, sick and the world looks punk.

A mere bowel movement doesn't always get at the cause. You need something that works on the liver as well. It takes those good, old Carter's Little Liver Pills to get these two pounds of bile flowing freely and make you feel "up and at 'em." Harmful poisons that make the bile flow freely. They do the work of calomel but have no calomel or mercury in them. Ask for Carter's Little Liver Pills by name! Stubbornly refuse anything else. See.

Muzzled Newspapers

Three Great European Nations Keep Authority Over Press

In three of the great European nations the newspapers are muzzled, and the muzzle is official and iron-clad. Scores of German, Russian and Italian journalists are in prison or concentration camps for the simple offence of honestly portraying unpleasant truths. But these are not the only countries in which the press is muzzled, according to the American Legion Monthly. Direct censorship rules definitely in Austria, and more than occasionally in Spain, Portugal, Greece and Poland, where troubles constantly break out which the authorities want to conceal from their own people as well as from the outer world. An occult censorship exists in France, Holland and Belgium, and in some other nations in the Balkans and along the Baltic. The result in most cases is to cause mistrust and disgust in the minds of newspaper readers. Great Britain and the United States are "distinguished by a press independent and unafraid," according to the article referred to. How long they may continue to hold that distinction will depend on how long and to what extent they remain democratic.—The New Outlook.

Received Personal Gifts

Officials Of Royal Household Given Mementos Of King George

Carrying out the wishes of his father, the King has sent personal mementos of King George to every one of the officials of the Royal Household who were with the late King for ten years or more, says the News of the World. The souvenirs are in the form of jewelry—cuff links, tie-pins, studs, and so on—which were in King George's large and valuable collection. At present the King is engaged in examining the records of all the scores of societies and institutions of which he or his father has been patron or president, or with which they were connected in any way. The whole list is to be revised, so that the King will succeed his father in many cases, and will no longer be attached to certain other bodies which, while suited for patronage by the Prince of Wales, would not be suitable for direct connection with the King.

Young Brown was watching young Jones admiringly in the swimming bath.

"Jolly good! You can swim like a fish," he said.

"Better, I reckon," said his friend. "I can swim on my back."

A handwriting expert has figured out mathematically that the chance of two people writing exactly alike is one in 68,000,000,000,000.

Inaudible Sounds

World Of Silent Noise Awaits Explorers Of Science

A humming bird sings. The notes rise higher and higher. Suddenly they seem to stop. Yet the bird's mouth remains wide open as if he were still pouring forth melody in full-throated ease. There is but one conclusion. The third is still singing, but at a pitch inaudible to our crude ears. So with thousands of insects. The life of the forest is a majestic symphony of which we hear only the deeper kettle-drums, horns,oughings, rustlings and shrillings.

Just how much we hear depends on our inborn aural sensitivity, our age and other factors. Few ears can detect vibrations higher than 15,000 a second. For most of us all sound becomes inaudible at 18,000.

Clearly a world of silent noise awaits the explorers of science, says the "Christian Science Monitor." In the Cruft Laboratory of Harvard they are to be found in the persons of Professor George W. Pierce, Dr. Noyes and Miss Prouty. For the moment they have confined their studies to *Nemobius fasciatus*, a common, dark-brown field cricket which can trill for five minutes at a time, emitting the white notes that vary from 8,000 to 11,000 vibrations a second.

In the winter months, when nature has lapsed into numbness, there are indoor studies of such phenomena as the inaudible hissing of fine air jets or the friction of clothing as we walk. Even now it is possible to hear in the Cruft Laboratory the terrible and fortunately imperceptible shrieking generated by the scraping of skin on skin as hand shakes hand or the outburst that accompanies the higher frequencies when a match is struck against the box.

SELECTED RECIPES

BRAN RAISIN BREAD

2 cups Quaker Natural Bran
2 cups Quaker Flour
1½ cups seeded raisins
1 cup sugar
1 teaspoon salt
3 tablespoons shortening
2 cups sour milk and 2 teaspoons baking soda or
2 cups sweet milk and 4 teaspoons baking powder.

Method—Mix dry ingredients together, cut the shortening in lightly, then add the floured raisins. Now add the milk slowly and mix well. Put in two well-greased loaf pans and let stand 20 minutes. Then bake in a moderate oven about 45 minutes. Temp. 325 degrees F. Remove from pans and brush the tops with melted butter.

At British Broadcasting House

No Change Made In Procedure Even For Royalty

As an instance of how strictly the B.B.C. follow their program procedure, even in connection with the recent Royal broadcast, the name of the King was placed on the day by day program board, which stands in a huge frame ten feet high just inside the main entrance of Broadcasting House. The columns in this frame show the time, studio and name of the speaker. They included this item: "4 p.m., 3B, His Majesty King Edward VIII." The letters were of the ordinary size used for general programs.



Popular Feature Ended

Royal Horse Artillery Giving Last Musical Ride This Year

One of the most popular sights at the Royal tournament in London, held annually at Olympia in aid of military charities, will be seen no more.

After this year the famous musical ride by the Royal Horse Artillery, a feature of the program for 50 years, will disappear owing to the increasing mechanization of this branch of the service. F. Battery, under Lt.-Col. Duncan, will give the drive for the last time, and subsequently proceed to India.

The evolutions of the guns, with the horses at first trotting, crossing and recrossing with literally not two inches to spare, made a fascinating sight that became truly thrilling when the teams were put to a gallop. Very occasionally, too, there would be a bad spill, but rarely was anybody seriously hurt.

However, if the public is to be denied the cantering horses, and the jingle and rattle of the swerving guns, the younger generation at least is likely to find solace in beholding motor despatch riders steeplechasing over the arena in a manner putting shame to the flesh and blood of the Grand National.

A Strict Censorship

Japan Cuts Out Many Scenes From Foreign Films

In one year more than 8,000 feet of "kissing scenes" have been cut from home and foreign films intended for showing in Japan. A further 22,000 feet were cut from crime scenes considered detrimental to public morality and social thought. A total of 64,000 feet were cut from the 12,779,696 feet of Japanese films examined. All the cut portions are preserved in a special room at the Japanese Home Ministry in Tokyo. The accumulation since 1925 is said to weigh 15 tons.

Gas From Corn Stalks

The farmer of the future may light and heat his house with his own corn stalks. Prof. Ellis I. Fulmer, of Iowa State College, told the American Chemical Society. A ton of the stalks yields from 10,000 to 20,000 cubic feet of gas when subjected to a fermentation process, he reported.

In 1934, 4,737 people were killed in road accidents in France.

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National Floral Emblems Chosen As Symbolical Of National Characteristics

Mother Canada and four of her provinces—Nova Scotia, Manitoba, Alberta and Ontario—have adopted native floral emblems. Canada's emblem, the Maple Leaf, like the Trailing Arbutus of Nova Scotia, was highly favoured more than a century ago. The former, like the Rose of England, the Thistle of Scotland, the Shamrock of Ireland and many of the older national emblems became established without official enactment or public proclamation. The Trailing Arbutus or Mayflower of Nova Scotia, the Anemone patens of Manitoba and the Wild Rose of Alberta have been made official by provincial legislation and a bill already prepared to give official standing to the Trillium for Ontario it is expected will be enacted by the Ontario Legislature during the present sitting.

National flowers have in certain countries a peculiar significance or are symbolical of the characteristics or feelings of the nations. In many cases, as in the Canadian provinces and in the United States, the chosen flower has been adopted by legislation. In other cases as in several European countries, in Egypt, India and Japan it has by its association with poetry, religious ceremonies or popular sentiment of the people, gradually become universally recognized as the nation's symbol. In connection with each of these there is an interesting story.

The Canadian emblem more than a century ago was regarded as highly symbolical of the Canadian people. This was indicated at a banquet of the Saint-Jean Baptiste Society held in Montreal on June 24, 1836. The banqueting hall was profusely decorated with branches and leaves of the Sugar Maple and the main speaker Denis-Benjamin Viger spoke eloquently of the virtues of the Maple tree which was highly praised for its sturdiness in the forest, the substantial character of its wood for fuel and lumber and its great service to the pioneer in its annual harvest of syrup and sugar. The sentiments expressed by the speaker were undoubtedly popular in those early days of Canadian life.

The Trailing Arbutus, made the official emblem for Nova Scotia in 1901, was highly regarded as early as 1825 when the flower was represented in a decoration that appeared on the front page of "The Nova Scotian". Thirty years later it was associated with the rose, the thistle and the shamrock on postage stamps. This flower is also the State Flower of Massachusetts where it is better known as the Mayflower. There its name was associated with the Pilgrim Fathers who, at the end of their first winter of great privation, on seeing the first flowers of the spring appearing from soil called the plant the Mayflower after the historic ship that brought them to Plymouth Rock.

The Manitoba emblem, the Anemone patens, chosen by the provincial Horticultural Society was made official in 1902. Also known as the Windflower and Pasque flower it is the State flower of South Dakota.

Alberta's emblem, the Wild Rose, is also the State flower of North Dakota, Iowa, New York and Georgia. Following a suggestion by the editor of an Edmonton newspaper that the province of Alberta should have a floral emblem, the Women's Institute took the matter up, and passed it on to the Department of Education. The choice of the native rose was made by the school pupils of the province.

Ontario's choice, the Trillium grandiflorum, also called the Wake-robin, was accepted by the Ontario Horticultural Association in 1935 after it had been recommended by a committee of botanists who canvassed the views of the Horticultural Societies in the province as well as the High Schools and Collegiate Institutes. The Trillium, thriving as it does in woods over most of the province, responds well to cultivation in the garden but must not be used as a cut flower because the bloom cannot be picked without

taking with it all the foliage which is needed to develop the bulbous root for the following season's bloom. For this same reason the Trillium should not be thoughtlessly gathered in the woods.

The rose of England as the floral emblem dates back to the thirteenth century when Edward I chose it in honour of his mother who was known as the Rose of Provence. Two centuries later Henry VII chose for his badge the Tudor rose which is described as a double red bloom with a white centre. The Thistle of Scotland served a useful purpose in the early days when a night attack was being made by a Danish army. A barefooted Dane stepping on a thistle cried out, giving alarm to the defending soldiers who quickly drove them off. The Leek for Wales was also chosen for its service in war.

When Cadwallon, the Welsh leader, was about to meet Edwin, King of Northumbria, he ordered his men to wear a leek in their helmets to enable him to distinguish them from the enemy soldiers. The result was victory for the Welsh and the choice of the leek as the nation's emblem. Ireland chose the Shamrock when it helped St. Patrick to make clear to the worshippers the mystery of the Trinity.

The Fleur-de-Lis, or iris, the French emblem, is said to have been used in coronation ceremonies. When a king was crowned he was carried amongst his people carrying an iris to represent a sceptre.

Interesting stories could be told about the Lotus of Egypt and India, the Chrysanthemum of Japan, the Cornflower of Germany, the Linden of Prussia, the Amaranth of Sweden and of the 40 odd State flowers of the American Union. Most of the U.S. State flowers have been adopted within the past forty years, some by the school children but in most cases by the State legislatures on the recommendation of authoritative bodies such as the Daughters of America.

Value Of A Garden

Vegetables Fresh From Ground Mean Health To Body

The home garden is no friend of the beauty specialist where complexion is concerned, scientists tell us, because the properly balanced diet containing vitamin and mineral fresh vegetables will give nature its chance to do what was intended, bring health to the body, and with it, a good complexion.

Vegetables are not the only foods to produce such results, of course, but they are the "deficiency" types which supply the hidden food elements lacking in so many other modern table delicacies. The fact that they are grown at home and can be used fresh from the garden without the loss brought about by being kept out of the ground, makes them doubly valuable for the health and complexion seeker.

Rock Wool In Canada

The manufacture of rock wool for insulating purposes was commenced in Canada in 1934 and three plants have been established. According to the Department of Mines, Ottawa, the greater part of the Canadian production is being used for building insulation. Establishment of the rock wool industry in Canada followed investigational work in the laboratories of the department. The investigations showed that large deposits of a special type of limestone, in the Niagara district in Ontario, were suitable for the manufacture of rock wool. The deposits were discovered during the course of a survey by the department of the limestone resources of Canada.

It is claimed that a new enamel keeps clean for several weeks and then merely needs a gentle wipe with a dry cloth. Hope is expressed in juvenile circles that it may be possible to coat the neck with it.

Florida has 5,113 miles of drainage ditches.

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Agricultural Outlook

Forecast Of Wheat Prices For Current Crop Year Just Guesswork

"The outlook for Saskatchewan farmers for the current," says Farm Outlook, published by the Department of Farm Management, University of Saskatchewan, "is one of moderate optimism. The price of wheat, the principal agricultural product and the most important source of revenue on Saskatchewan farms, is subject to many varied and unappraisable influences of national and international importance, consequently forecasts of wheat prices are little better than guesses. Recognizing his limitation, the Saskatchewan farmer cannot wisely budget for his year on the expectation that the average farm price of wheat for the next crop will be higher than now prevails. At the same time, from the combination of economic and other influences, no material reduction in the average farm price of wheat need be anticipated."

France Has New Car

Is Shaped Like A Fish With Engine At The Back

A new type of motor car, designed by Andre Dubonnet, the French sportsman, has been tested at Monthley, near Paris, and will shortly be demonstrated in England.

The 21-h.p., 8-cylinder engine is placed immediately in front of the back axle, leaving the front part of the car free for the passengers. The driving seat is immediately over the front axle.

The car is said to be capable of a speed of 120 miles an hour, with a fuel consumption 40 per cent. less than that of ordinary cars. The body is fish-shaped.

To compare the car with other types, an ordinary model was driven round the track, fitted with an identical engine. Its top speed was registered as 90 miles an hour; 30 miles an hour less than that of the new model.

Reindeer Moving North

Canada's herd of reindeer wintered in excellent condition, and movement of the herd northward to the summer range along the Arctic coast near Kettigauit got under way April 1st. The herding of the animals northward is done in a leisurely manner as they are now approaching the fawning season and care must be taken that the herd reaches its destination in the best possible condition.

Problem For Scientists

Scientists are puzzled over a strange flame-colored animal, five feet long, shaped like a pig, reported to have been shot in Verona. The creature has fore feet like a bear and hind feet like a duck. It is the first of the kind known.

Get Busy On A Lovely Panel



PATTERN 5569

Household Arts by Alice Brooks

Make this Wall-Hanging Rich in Color

Beautiful Iris—graceful Spirea—are the subjects of this rich and decorative wall-hanging, which will brighten a dark and needy corner of your living-room, bedroom, hall or den. Who could help but be gay with such rich and colorful beauty so near at hand! Only such simple embroidery stitches as outline, single and running stitch and French knots are required, with the spirea in French knot stitch. A lining, but no frame, is needed.

In pattern 5569 you will find a transfer pattern of a wall hanging 15 x 20 inches; color suggestions; illustrations of all stitches needed; material requirements.

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British Government Will Not Consider Handing Over Any Mandated Territories

Campaign To Dehorn Cattle

Work Is Being Neglected And Results In Heavy Loss

With thousands of dollars being lost annually by cattle shippers through shipping horned cattle, the Saskatchewan department of agriculture, livestock division, is planning a widespread campaign to dehorn all cattle, according to J. G. Robertson, commissioner.

Ten years ago the department and other interested livestock associations, packers and the like, started a campaign of a similar nature that met with some success. Thousands of cattle were dehorned then. Since, however, breeders have either forgotten or neglected to do such work and the new campaign is the result.

One packing company has estimated the loss through horned cattle butting and attacking animals without horns or themselves while being shipped amounts to \$1,000 a week; \$500,000 on a million head of cattle a year.

Cattle can be dehorned by using special pliers on the horns or, the best way, during the calf stage, according to Mr. Robertson. Here are directions issued by the department.

One proper application of a stick of caustic potash to the nubbin of a calf will prevent growth of horns.

To Preserve Wild Life

East And West Will Work In Close Co-operation

Wild life societies throughout eastern Canada, represented at a meeting in Montreal, endorsed the principle of a national federation of such organizations and appointed a preliminary committee to work out details.

The meeting was told a western association already had approved the federation idea and east and west would work in close co-operation. The committee appointed will ask the Dominion government to call an Ottawa conference.

Members chosen were: Nova Scotia, B. H. Innis; New Brunswick, E. H. Cook and F. Cedric Cooper; Quebec, Col. H. A. Stewart and Charles Fremont; Ontario, Dr. C. G. Keyes and Dr. Arthur B. James; Manitoba, E. B. Pittblado and R. H. G. Bonnycastle.

R. Keiffer was appointed to represent the Canadian Forestry Association and Prof. W. J. K. Harkness, Ottawa, and B. W. Taylor, Quebec, were chosen as biological representatives.

Demands for a pledge that the government would not consider the recession of any mandated territories were made by Conservative members in the British House of Commons.

J. H. Thomas, secretary for the colonies, replying, said recent statements on the subject by himself and Neville Chamberlain, chancellor of the exchequer, applied equally to crown colonies and mandated territories.

He emphasized that in the mandated territories British possessed no advantages or privileges over other countries. He said if the question of transferring any mandate ever arose it would not be a question for Britain alone to determine because Australia, New Zealand and South Africa also had mandates.

The British government, Thomas went on, would not consider handing over any of its mandates unless the whole question as far as empire mandates were concerned also was reviewed. Beyond that it was not only a question of the empire: there was also the question of the mandates affecting France and Belgium. Furthermore, the inhabitants must be consulted and their interests considered.

The colonial secretary mentioned he had recently received communications from responsible business firms concerning the future of Tanganyika. He said he had replied to a specific request by a company contemplating the investment of a further £1,000,000 in Tanganyika.

He told this firm that while they must be the best judges of their own business as far as the political situation was concerned, "I see no reason to believe for a moment that there is anything to warrant me saying it is inadvisable for them to proceed. I said that not only on my own responsibility but with the concurrence of the treasury also."

Mr. Thomas added he hoped the house would not expect him to commit the present or any other government to any course of action. "All I will say," he went on, "is that we have not considered and are not considering the question, but if it is raised by others it will be our duty to consider the circumstances."

Winston Churchill said he regretted the minister had given the impression it was not a closed question. The subject was then dropped.

Water Fowl Preservation

United States Sets Aside Large Areas As Sanctuaries For Wild Ducks And Geese

Better than 2,000,000 acres so far have been set aside in the United States for the wild ducks and geese to use as hiding places from the guns of hunters.

Three times as much land to be used as game refuges is now under the control of the United States bureau of biological survey as there was two years ago. Then it was 700,000 acres. Now it is 2,100,000.

Work on these refuges and sanctuaries is done by the civilian conservation corps in addition to survey experts. Seven times as many C.C.C. workers are now engaged in wild life work as there were a year ago. There are now 5,600 men working to give the ducks and geese a chain of natural resting places along their ancestral flyways.

On the four principal flyways of North American waterfowl—the Atlantic, the Mississippi, the Central and the Pacific—28 C.C.C. camps have been established or approved.

The fowl are thickest along the Mississippi flyway, which includes the ancestral breeding grounds in the plains states. From Montana to Michigan, flocks fly across the Canadian frontier in the fall or start from within the United States border, converging before winter on the muddy, flood-laden delta of the Mississippi. Another flyway crosses the Appalachian states from the north and ends in temperate swamps on the southern Atlantic seaboard.

Employment in Belgium is increasing.

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J. E. Gooder - Editor & Manager

Rail Grading of Hogs.

During the past four weeks one Alberta packing house has bought over two thousand hogs on a rail graded, dressed weight basis. This method of buying hogs has been inaugurated in Alberta during the past four weeks, and, from all reports, the farmers who have sold their hogs in this manner, are very well satisfied and are back again, to sell on the same basis.

The buying and selling of hogs on a dressed weight basis has been in operation in Eastern Canada for over a year. The packers buying on this basis report their shippers are very well pleased.

It is now well over ten years since the Federal Government installed the present system of live grading and this could be called the first step in the right direction towards raising the right type of hogs. There has been a remarkable improvement during the last ten years in the percentage of bacon hogs produced. This improvement is a direct result of the present system of live grading.

The Federal Government is now sponsoring what could be called the second step, namely the marketing of hogs on a rail graded, dressed weight basis.

A few words of explanation: the marketing of hogs on a dressed weight, rail basis, is exactly what the words imply. A farmer delivers his hogs; these hogs are then tattooed with a number, so that they may be identified when they are killed. The live hogs are then weighed up so that a part down payment can be made. This down payment usually runs around 75% of the butcher price. The hogs are then killed, and weighed individually, to the exact pound. A Government grading inspector grades the hogs on the killing floor, according to standards as set up by the Federal Government, and the final payment is made on that grade. These grades correspond very closely to the present live grades, and the premiums and discounts paid are practically on the same basis. It will be easily seen that the Grading Inspector is able to do more efficient and more accurate grading with the split carcass before him because he does not have to estimate weight, depth of backfat or thickness.

Whip marks, scratches and bruises shall not be a factor in determining the grade, except those hogs that are seriously damaged. Carcasses that are condemned will be paid for on the same basis of the grade in which they would otherwise fall. The Government will issue releases on all Rail Graded hogs.

A farmer well might ask himself: Why should I change over to Rail Grading? How do I benefit by it? How does the hog industry benefit by it? These questions are easily answered. When the present system of live grading was instituted, the policy of paying premiums to the farmers who raised good hogs was started. In a very short time there was a great improvement in the number of bacon hogs marketed.

Today the following situation confronts us: A number of farmers have progressed to such an extent that it would nearly be impossible for them to raise a larger percentage of bacon hogs. Another number are just raising an average percent-

age of bacon, while the balance of the farmers are just raising hogs. Under the present system of live grading the dressed "yields" of the hogs have a great deal to do with the final dressed cost. The word "yields" refers to the amount of dressed meat in relation to the live weight. For example: Two farmers bring in two hogs each weighing 200 pounds. When these hogs are killed, one hog weighs 160 pounds dressed, while the other weighs 160 pounds dressed. Now it is easy to see that the 160 pound hog was a better yielding hog than the 160 pound hog, and that the producer of the 160-pound hog would receive more money; whereas, if these hogs had been sold alive, each producer would have received the same.

Now the purpose of marketing hogs on a rail graded basis is to give the producer of high quality and high yielding hogs the proper value of his hogs as related to the whole volume of hogs produced. In other words, the producer gets paid for exactly what he delivers.

The marketing of hogs on a Rail Graded basis not only gives the producer a premium on his bacon hogs, but also pays him on a basis of yield. Hogs that are fed right, and looked after properly, yield high, which results in the producer getting more money for his hogs.

Is not this sufficient incentive for the producer to raise good hogs, thereby benefiting the hog industry at large, and helping himself, at the same time?

Local Boy Awarded Scholarship.

Norman Hardbattle, who attended the Olds School of Agriculture last winter, was awarded a scholarship of \$50.00, donated by Mr A L Searle, president of the Searle Grain Co. Ltd. to the 1st-year student who made the most progress during the term.

GOPHER POISON NOTICE

The Municipality of Mountain View, No. 310, has arranged with the dealers in gopher poison at Didsbury, Olds and other points, to supply an equal amount of gopher poison to that paid for by the farmers of the municipality, the arrangement to be in effect until the 1st day of June, 1938.

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Central Alberta W.C.T.U.
Meets In Convention

Mrs. I. M. Haliburton, president of Central Alberta District W.C.T.U., presided at the session of that organization when they met for their 24th annual convention in Zion Evangelical Church, Didsbury, on May 12 and 13.

Papers of interest included, "Alberta Laws for Women," by Mrs. J. Golay, Olds; "Alberta Tobacco Act, Drug Drinks, and Gambling Devices," by Mrs. T. J. Coote, Clive, and "Methods of Meeting the Budget," by Mrs. F. W. Gaetz, Red Deer. Mrs. Ewing, of Olds, led a "Prayer Hour for Peace," and Mrs. Harder, Didsbury, conducted a round-table discussion on Beer, Cocktails and Tobacco."

Mrs. Harder also conducted a very impressive memorial service for the departed members. The devotional periods were taken by Miss Z. Cressman, Didsbury, Mrs. Ewing, Olds, and Mrs. Coote, Clive.

At 6 o'clock Tuesday evening a banquet was provided by the local members, at which greetings were brought by the pastors of the local churches. Mrs. W. Salt, of Calgary, Y. P. B. Secretay, brought a message to the "Y" Girls, who attended in a body, with their mothers as guests. Miss Enith Hunsperger gave a toast to the mothers, to which Mrs. A. Deadrick responded.

Mrs. Coote, Clive, gave response in behalf of the visiting delegates.

Mrs. H. M. Reiber acted as hostess.

Mayor Chambers brought greetings from the Town of Didsbury at the opening of the evening session.

The vice-president, Mrs. Coote, presided and introduced the convention speaker, Mrs. Grace Knight, provincial president. Mrs. Knight gave a brief outline of liquor conditions as they exist in the province today, and the efforts being put forth by the liquor interests to advertise their wares.

The Didsbury School Orchestra under direction of Mr. C. R. Ford; a vocal number by six young ladies; numbers by the Children's Rhythm Band; a Mother Goose temperance exercise, and a temperance dialogue by the children, constituted the program. Rev. C. J. Hallman contributed a solo, with Mrs. H. J. Wood at the piano.

The "Model Y Meeting" by the Didsbury "Y" Girls, was entertaining.

Following were the officers elected for 1936-37: President, Mrs. Bertha L. Geeson, Didsbury; vice-president, Mrs. Haliburton, Red Deer; corresponding secretary, Mrs. F. W. Gaetz, Red Deer; recording secretary, Miss Cressman, Didsbury; treasurer, Miss M. A. High, Red Deer; "Y" secretary, Mrs. Hallman, Didsbury; Superintendents: Sunday School, Mrs. Golay, Olds; travellers' aid, Mrs. Coote, Clive; S. T. I., Miss Videlle Franklin, Didsbury; medal contest, Mrs. K. Gaudin Stettler; L. W. R.'s., Mrs. A. Deadrick, Didsbury; Resolutions, Mrs. Reiber, Didsbury.

Resolutions drafted to be forwarded to the provincial government were (1) Disapproval of the action of the government in setting aside the beer petition presented by temperance people of Alberta and of the government's action in supporting the 1934 amendments to the Liquor Act, (2) Requesting the government to remove the curtains from the windows of the beer rooms and vendors' stores, (3) Asking the government to bring in a law for the earlier closing of beer rooms, and to remove the unwarranted 1934 amendments to the Liquor Act.

The local W.C.T.U. wish to thank all who assisted with the musical numbers, plays, etc. during the convention.

Evangelical Church Notes

Next Sunday morning the pastor will explain the Duplex Envelope System of Church Finance and show how and why it is the Scriptural method of giving. In the evening the sermon theme will be, "His Wonderful Eyes," 4th in the series of Pictures of Jesus.

WEEKLY SERMONETTE

"Man's greatest needs are NOT material."

Zella School Wins Prizes

The pupils of Zella School, of which Miss Beatrice Kendrick is the teacher, took four awards in the musical festival held at Olds.

Gr. 5 Solo, Zelle Brower, 3rd prize.
Gr. 5 Duet, Zelle Brower and Dennis Worthington, 3rd prize.
Gr. 7-8 Duet, Warren Brower and Garth Cogswell, 2nd prize (tied).
Gr. 7 Recit., Arthur Worthington, 2nd prize.

Mona School, taught by Miss Isobel Goldie, won 3rd prize for 2-part singing at the music festival.
Marg Mosley tied for 2nd prize in Grade 6 Recitation.

Items of Interest

In the Pekisko hills close to the ranch of King Edward VIII, near High River, work will soon be resumed in the search for oil. A well has been started, but drilling was suspended about a year ago after it had been drilled to 3,480 feet. A gas flow of 4,000,000 feet daily was obtained.

WEEKLY JOKE

Professor: "I will use my hat to represent the planet Mars. Is there any question you wish to ask before I go on?"

Student: "Yes. Is Mars inhabited?"

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ALL INFORMATION IS HELD STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL

You can place absolute trust in the official enumerator who calls on you. *All information you provide will be held in the strictest confidence.* It is compulsory by law to answer the questions put by the enumerator. But you are living up to the spirit of good citizenship as well as to the letter of the law by giving information readily, completely and sincerely.

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THE PIONEER, DIDSBURY, ALTA.

WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Mail service of 14 days from England to South Africa is specified in contracts entered into by the British post office department.

Medical reports disclosed that 1,400 persons died of cholera in Siam from the beginning of the outbreak in February to mid-April.

A swarm of stingless bees arrived in London from central Africa for experimental purposes and some will be released to see if they are homers.

Italy has lost \$160,000,000 in gold—almost half her previous bullion reserve—since the outbreak of the Ethiopian war, the financial news-paper L'Information declared.

The sixth annual report of the National Radium Commission says Britain's radium is running out and more is badly needed to carry on the treatment of cancer.

A cargo of fur valued at close to \$100,000 reached Edmonton by train from McMurray to where it had been flown by northern aeroplanes from various posts.

South African motorists need expect no relief from taxation till the roads are put into thoroughly good order throughout the country, highways officials have intimated.

The Canadian Shipping Act, one of the most voluminous acts ever passed by the Canadian parliament, will come into force on Aug. 1, Marine Minister Howe stated at Ottawa.

Automobile accidents for the first two months of this year increased 11.6 per cent. over the same period last year, according to announcement by the Ontario motor vehicles branch.

Government statistics, which state that seven years have been added to the expectation of life since 1911, say London's suburban residents are healthier than the rest of England's people.

A Rare Occurrence

St. Paul's Cathedral Had Third Burial Within Six Months

The rare incident of a third burial within St. Paul's Cathedral in six months happened April 18, when Louise Creighton, widow of a former Bishop of London who died in 1901, was buried beside her husband in the crypt.

It is doubtful if any woman has been buried in St. Paul's since the great fire in 1666. Mrs. Creighton was 86. Her husband was regarded as one of the greatest historical scholars of his generation. His wife possessed impressive intellectual gifts, her biography of her husband having been considered a masterpiece.

After her husband's death King Edward VII granted her apartments at Hampton Court palace. Subsequently she removed to Oxford. Her husband was the immediate predecessor of the present Bishop of London.

The other recent burials within St. Paul's were those of Lord Jellicoe in November and Lord Beatty in March.

Boy Scout Meet

World Jamboree To Be Held In Holland Next Year

The fifth world Boy Scout jamboree will be held in August, 1937, at Bloemendaal, near Haarlem, Holland, according to official announcement received by Dominion headquarters of the Boy Scouts Association.

Plans are under consideration for acceptance of Holland's invitation and the sending of a Canadian contingent of scouts and scoutmasters.

It was stated the Netherland government will mark the event by the issue of a special jamboree postage stamp as was done by Hungary for the previous jamboree held there in 1933.

"Bring me a bowl of clear soup and a large screen," ordered the man with the new set of false teeth.

"Why the screen, sir?" asked the waiter.

"So I won't be able to see that fellow at the next table eating a porterhouse steak."

Jack Miner Foundation

Ontario Government Gives Royal Assent To The Incorporation Bill

In 1931 The Jack Miner Migratory Bird Foundation was incorporated in U.S.A. Last week the Ontario Government put through special legislation, known as "The Jack Miner Bill", giving royal assent which incorporates the said foundation in Canada, and allows the said foundation to do business, such as soliciting contributions and bequests, and owning land in Canada as bird sanctuaries.

Jack Miner has agreed to give his home and bird sanctuary to the said foundation, when men and women have contributed enough funds to The Jack Miner Foundation to assure him the place will be kept on a perpetual basis.

All moneys, such as gifts or bequests, are to be held in trust, and only the annual interest used to pay the upkeep and expenditure on The Jack Miner Bird Sanctuary.

The object of the foundation is to raise one million dollars to be held in trust, so that there will be enough annual interest to also carry on educational campaigns in the public schools of Canada to educate the youth on the value of bird life to the Dominion. Jack Miner's motto is "Educate instead of legislate". More education and less legislation.

The Ontario Government giving its royal assent, assures the contributing public that the legal set-up is on a solid basis, and that there can be no money mis-used in any way, as all gifts and bequests are to be held by a trust company and invested in government bonds.

Jack Miner's Bird Sanctuary is known the world over, and now the establishment of The Jack Miner Migratory Bird Foundation will more or less make his place an international park, and his life work will be carried on by the interest from moneys contributed by donations or bequests to the said trust fund, known as The Jack Miner Foundation.

Jack Miner says "Is it not as sane for his wealthy friends to leave a few hundred thousand dollars to The Jack Miner Foundation, where birds can always be seen alive and saved from extermination, as it is to leave several millions to museums where only dead, stuffed specimens can be seen in glass cages."

Jack Miner being so well known to all, the men and women who perpetuate his home and bird sanctuary will become as famous as Jack Miner throughout the world, and their names will go down in history with Canada's well known bird lover, naturalist, philosopher, lecturer and author. The slogan among Jack Miner's friends is "When making your will remember The Jack Miner Migratory Bird Foundation."

Has Strange History

Centuries Ago Dying Woman Founded Tichborne Dole

A strange history attaches to the "Tichborne Dole," which was recently distributed at Tichborne Park, Alresford, by Sir Anthony Tichborne. Centuries ago a Lady Tichborne, when on her deathbed, asked her husband to set aside money to provide for an annual gift to the poor in her memory. Her husband, by no means a model character, snatched a blazing brand from the fire and told her he would set aside the revenue from as much land as she could walk around before the brand burnt out. She accepted the challenge, had herself carried out, and contrived to crawl on hands and knees in a circle enclosing several acres before the brand spluttered out. The "Dole" is distributed in flour, and even during the war years it was continued by special permit of the Food Controller.

"Why did you tear the back part out of that new book?" asked the long-suffering wife of the absent-minded doctor.

"Excuse me, dear," said the famous surgeon, "the part you speak of was labelled 'Appendix' and I took it out without thinking."

In one part of the Near East we are told, a husband ties a stocking round his wife's chin if she is talkative. This is certainly more humane than a sock on the jaw.

Director Of Adult Education

Alberta Man Is Appointed To Important Post

Announcement was made that a sub-committee of the Canadian Association for Adult Education has recommended E. A. Corbett, director of university extension for the University of Alberta, be appointed director of adult education in Canada.

The sub-committee, composed of Sir Robert Falconer, former president of University of Toronto; A. E. Morgan, principal of McGill University, and W. J. Dunlop, head of University of Toronto extension courses, announced, Mr. Corbett will take up his duties immediately on a voluntary basis, and on a full-time basis Sept. 1.

Mr. Corbett, native of Truro, N.S., was educated at Huntingdon Academy, Quebec, and was secretary of Strathcona Hall, McGill University, for some time. He joined the University of Alberta staff in 1921 and was appointed director of the department of extension in 1927.

Wheat Exports Increase

Increase In Both Volume And Value Is Shown

Canada's exports of wheat in the fiscal year ended March 31, showed a substantial increase in both volume and value compared with the previous year, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics reported. At the same time wheat flour exports showed a decline in quantity and an increase in value.

Exports of wheat amounted to 179,124,180 bushels, worth \$148,576,885, or an average of 83 cents per bushel, compared with 165,701,983 bushels at \$132,441,685, an average of 80 cents per bushel in the preceding fiscal year.

Wheat flour exports totalled 4,858,947 barrels, worth \$19,382,617, an average of \$3.99, against 4,936,827 barrels at \$18,386,040, an average of \$3.72 per barrel in the fiscal year ended March 31, 1935.

Vice-Regal Visit To West

The Governor-General and Lady Tweedsmuir will be in residence at the vice-regal quarters Quebec Citadel from early in June until the beginning of August, it was announced at government house. During that time they will make a tour of the maritime provinces. The vice-regal party plan leaving about August 6 for British Columbia where His Excellency will open the Canada-Pacific exhibition on August 26.

Employees Run Factory

Victor Weiner, who once owned a leather manufacturing plant at Patznan, Czechoslovakia, has just taken a position there as clerk under his former workers. Threatened by financial difficulties recently, he presented the factory to his employees under condition that they would employ him.

Natural Chemical Factory

Chemists See Treatment For Some Ailments In Stratosphere

First clues to a vast natural chemical factory in the stratosphere containing a different kind of oxygen, and even possibilities of use as a flying sanatorium for some ailments, were reported to the American Chemical Society at Kansas City.

Up where the temperatures are 50 degrees below centigrade—58 below zero Fahrenheit—it appears from studies reported by Dr. Malcolm Dole, of Northwestern University, that the oxygen carried aloft in the evaporation of sea water leaves the tiny droplets and transfers to the air, while at the same time oxygen in the air takes the place vacated by the sea water oxygen.

Where the area devoted to the garden is limited careful attention must be given to such points as distance between rows and between plants, so that all space may be used to advantage. Each plant must have room to mature yet gaps must be avoided. A study of rotation of crops and time of maturity is of great value in planning the small garden. Such crops as radish and spinach may be grown as intercrops between the rows of later maturing crops like carrots or parsnips. Late sown crops may be planted between the rows of early maturing crops just before the latter are ready to harvest. Two or three crops of such plants as radish and lettuce may be grown on the same area. A succession of quick growing crops by planting at intervals is also desirable.

The difference in the two oxygens is in weight. Both water and air contain oxygen atoms weighing respectively 16 and 18 atomic units. But for some reason the lighter air contains more of the heavy oxygen than does the water.

The net difference is that air oxygen has the atomic weight of 16.0001 while water is 16.0000.

How the stratosphere chemical factory seems to operate was explained at the chemical society's heavy water symposium. When the heavy particles of oxygen leave the water vapor in the stratosphere the water is not turned partly into hydrogen gas, as it would be in other regions.

The reason is that chemical "equilibrium" exists between the air and the vapor in the intense cold and reduced pressures miles aloft. For each heavy oxygen particle that leaves the water droplet, a light one enters, having left its previous residence—a molecule of air. The process is called "exchange."

Praise For Senate

Lack Of Partisanship And Importance Of Work Is Stressed

An almost entire lack of partisanship in the Canadian Senate was reported by Senator Iva Campbell Falls in an interview at Niagara Falls.

"Since I've been in the Senate I realize the importance of the work done there in a measure I didn't before," she said. "There is almost an entire absence of partisanship and the great majority seem to be just intent on the business of the country as it comes before them."

"They approach it as a judicial body. The small number of women in the legislatures of the Dominion is due in large measure to the lack of interest women take in political affairs."

YOUR GARDEN

Even with the most fertile and open soil, expert gardeners stress the importance of thorough cultivation.

The preliminary jobs will usually be done with a spade, or digging fork where space is limited, but in the country where land is still valued by the acre a horse or tractor-drawn plow will be used. At least once during the year, and better still twice, the soil should be thoroughly turned over. Later on just before seeding it is usually best to rake or cultivate finely, in order to break down all lumps. The benefit of frequent light cultivation is two-fold. It will destroy weed and moisture used by these unwanted plants and it will also conserve moisture from evaporation which is always more rapid in hard, packed, uncultivated soil.

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For quick results, an important point with the new garden or with property which is rented, annual flowers will make a very satisfactory showing all by themselves. They are indispensable, too, in filling in the gaps in the perennial bed which may have suffered severely from winter damage. In almost every section of Canada there are literally hundreds of varieties from which to choose, including almost every conceivable colour, shape and height. There are bushy plants like Dahlias, which will make excellent backgrounds to serve the purpose until the permanent shrubs assume full size. There are climbers such as the Scarlet Runner Bean, Nasturtiums, Sweet Peas and others which will cover fences, screen verandahs or even trail over walls. In the standard sorts heights range from the inch high tiny Alyssum to Sunflowers, Cosmos and Zinnias, which vary from a foot or so to six feet. Many of these things can be planted as seed in the open ground from late April until the first of June. For short cuts or unusually early results many annuals may be purchased as well started plants.

Guarded By Police

Former Chief Secretary For Ireland Receives Protection

It was revealed that a police guard is still maintained outside the chambers in Gray's Inn of Lord Greenwood, chief secretary for Ireland during the stormy years of 1920-22.

Lord Greenwood, a native of Whitby, Ont., retired from politics some years ago. But the police guard remains at the chambers and he is constantly shadowed by Scotland Yard men.

These precautions date back to the turbulent period preceding the signing of the Anglo-Irish treaty of 1922, creating the Irish Free State. Lord Greenwood, then Sir Hamar Greenwood, was the last person to hold the office of chief secretary for Ireland as it was abolished under the treaty.

Lord Carson, solicitor-general for Ireland in 1892 and a prominent figure in the pre-war political struggle between pro-British and Nationalist Irishmen, was likewise guarded until the day of his death a few months ago.

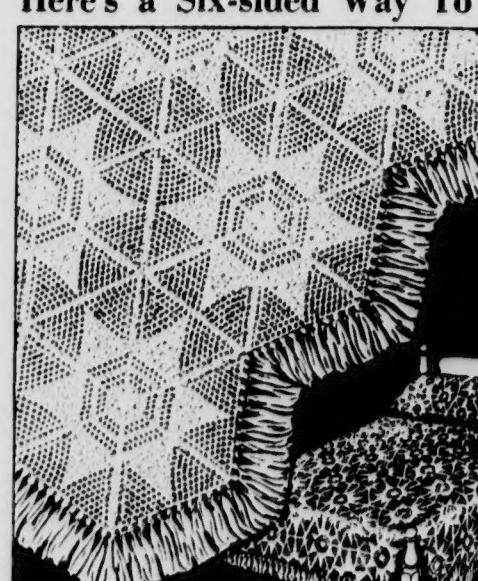
Carson constantly grumbled at the insistence of the police upon his carrying a revolver. He said it was a nuisance because it made his pocket bulge.

Largest Producer Of Platinum

Claiming Canada has passed Russia as the world's largest producer of platinum, J. W. Curran, editor of the Sault Daily Star, said that Sault Ste. Marie hoped to become headquarters of the precious metals industry in Canada. He discussed platinum discoveries contiguous to the Algoma city.

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FLEMING'S FOLLY

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CHAPTER XII.—Continued

Once out of sight he removed the bandana from his "injured" hand and probed for the note Gyp Vaille had dropped. Eagerly he compared it with that just written by Kilgo.

Fleming pursed his lips in disappointment. The writings were dissimilar, could scarcely belong to the same man. He crushed the paper and hurled it away.

Who had put Vaille up to the bit of sabotage Buster Townsend reported?

The trail was strewn with paraphernalia of dam building. Link passed the rickety cabin headquarters of Tom McLendon, the young engineer in charge, but noted that Tom was not inside. He walked onto the concrete abutment and paused surveying a group of men who worked in twos and threes in the moist pit below, which would soon be the bed of Silver Lake.

For the thousandth time Fleming thrilled with anticipation and pride as he pictured the future of the Triple H and Star Loop ranches. For weeks the dam had seemed a mirage, a haunting dream that existed only in imagination. But as his savings and those of Helen Hamilton dwindled, and debts mounted, so had the dam progressed. At last it was almost completed, a thirty-two foot mass of concrete and reinforcing iron, staunch-set and challenging to the pressure Silver Creek brought from higher in the Captain Range.

A dream almost become a practicality! Link drew a deep breath. It was small as such projects went elsewhere. But to his mind it was wonderful.

He sighted Buster Townsend below, dirt-smeared from tussling in the silt of the creek bed, and shouted for him to come up. When the foreman obeyed, Link handed him the five hundred dollars he had got from Marty Bush. "Spread it around as much as you can," he instructed. "Let the boys know it's a sign of good faith on my part."

Buster looked astonished. "Say, it's lucky yuh could bring this, Link! They shore ain't workin' like they ought. With everybody sayin' the dam won't pan out an' it's a crazy idea, they ain't got their heart in it. I only hope we can keep 'em on the job," he added troubled. "For about two cents they'd all quit yuh right off, money or no money. But it's that much worse when they ain't paid on time."

As he moved off to the headquarters shack to divide the cash Fleming saw Helen and Buzz Hamilton approaching. "Hello!" he exclaimed in

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surprise. "I didn't know you were here."

She smiled friendly greeting. "Buzz wanted to see Fleming's Folly, and I came along to answer his objections to it."

The rancher watched Hamilton examining the view from each side of the dam—northwest, the bed of the lake-to-be, and southeast, the yawning aridity of twenty-six hundred acres of "wasteland."

"Are we as crazy as folks seem to think? Reckon this wall is going to hold water all right, eh?" he joked.

Buzz avoided his eyes, and Fleming noted that he had assumed puncher's garb in place of ill-made prison garments. Not yet, however, did he resemble the usual hard-sawed rider of the prairie. His neck was thin in the loose open collar of his flannel shirt, and the very way his leather chaps hung bespoke a man unaccustomed to such garb.

"It looks all right," he replied at last, with emphasis on the second word. "But I'm not falling for any crazy scheme to improve land that isn't worth a ten cent investment."

Link smiled tolerantly. "We'll make a big thing of it just the same. Your half of the spread will be worth a lot more because of his dam."

"By the way," he went on, "Marty Bush loaned me five hundred dollars, and Townsend is down payin' it to the boys. We owe 'em a lot more, but that ought to keep peace for now. We're going to succeed yet, Partner!" he chuckled at Helen's look of surprise. "We'll put this over in spite of—"

"Maybe yuh will!" Buzz Hamilton started away.

The girl frowned and would have gone after him but Fleming made a quick gesture for her to remain. "Reckon we staved off disaster for awhile."

She came slowly back. "I feel relieved, Link, but we're still deep in debt."

He noticed her sober, concerned expression and nodded. "Sure are."

"Isn't Otto Pieper likely to call in that two thousand dollar demand note and ruin us?"

He grinned confidence he did not feel. "What put that into your pretty head?"

"Oh, I don't know. I'm worried about the dam and about Buzz. I want you to know I'm grateful, Link, for having him paroled. But we—well, we had an unpleasant time after you left the ranch. He accused me of being under your thumb, of throwing away the only property Father left, and—and all sorts of things."

"Made it hard for you, I reckon."

Covertly she wiped away a glistening tear and looked into the pit where Townsend was paying off the men. "And he'll make it harder. If I only knew how to handle him! Roper Kilgo and the others convinced Buzz that building this dam was idiotic. And he seems changed, not like my old brother. He says we are paying Mr. McLendon too much, and the cement people will seize our ranches, or you are in a league with them to get the Triple H, or—or something awful, something terrible!"

Fleming looked into her brown eyes. "I see," he said quietly. "That was plumb generous of Kilgo to go out his way for Buzz's interest. However—"

Someone called out his name. Glancing up, he saw Townsend at the land-end of the concrete, gesturing. Link flashed a look at Helen and quickly hurried to his foreman. "What is it?"

"Kilgo an' Mell have got about eight o' the boys down there where we been blasting. They're brewin' trouble," Buster panted, out of breath from the steep ladder climb. "And—I thought—yuh ought to know!"

"Come on!" was the swift reply. "We'll go see Mister Kilgo!"

Quickly they descended into the pit at the base of the dam. Buster showed the way among the workings to a spot around a jagged outcropping where heaps of stone and dirt had yet to be cleared away. There he paused, gesturing for silence.

"—an' you're goin' to get snagged when she does cave in, boys—I'm tellin' yuh!" the Box owner boomed seriously. "Course, it ain't none o' my affair, but I seen lots o' these things, and there's always guys gettin' killed."

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"Now, yuh all know I'm a friend of yours. Yuh all know what Roper Kilgo is straight. I'm just warnin' yuh, because I'm none too anxious to dig into a couple of tons of rock for dead guys. It's dangerous, workin' here!"

"Course it is," supported Jackpot Mell. "Another thing, what are yuh getting out of it? Not even full wages. Five hundred bucks divided among 27 guys. Say, that's a smooth one, but it don't fool anybody! Know what I'd do? Quit," he replied crisply to his own question. "Wouldn't work another hour for a guy that's going bankrupt as shore as there's a moon. I'd—"

He stopped as Link and Townsend strode around a heap of stony earth. Jackpot's jaw slackened and he flashed a look at Vaille and Roper, after which all three stared down at the black holes of Fleming's and Buster's sixgun muzzles.

"You'd quit, would you? Warning my men they're likely to get killed, eh, Kilgo? Let me tell you somethin'!" the Star Loop owner rasped hotly, his lips thinned back over white teeth, his words dropping with emphatic reminder. "Nobody asked you wolves for advice. Nobody invited you here, and you've sure got nerve, interferin' with my men like this!"

"Hold on, Fleming." Roper blustered. "We—"

"I'll hold on nothing!" he flared back. "You bought or scared Soak Torney. I've a hunch that fellow Berrens that left just ahead of Sheriff Stephen might be an acquaintance of yours. Now you're tampering with my men. Roper, I kicked you out of my ranch house once. I'm goin' to kick you off this dam if you don't move pronto. Git!"

The Box 50 owner's florid face went paler. His under jaw thrust forward in truculent defiance. "You can't prove all yuh said! It's a lie!"

"Well, I can move you out uv here. I'll do it, too. Stay out—you and your pair of scalawags that go around buttin' in where you aren't wanted!"

There ensued a taut silence. Jackpot Mell muttered a stream of hot curses. His cold, evil eyes watched Fleming closely, but he saw no chance to whip out his forty-five, fast on the draw as he was. Townsend had the men directly covered, while Link's gun swung its threat from one member of the trio to the next and back again. Workmen stood nearby, gaping.

"Link, you pulled a gun on me before, therer at Iron Spring. I didn't say nothin' then. But I ain't used to havin' guys draw that don't mean it."

His voice became deadly with sinister meaning. "Nobody can pull guns on Jackpot Mell an' live. Some hombres found that out. But it don't seem like fools can learn without tryin' themselves. Grease yore holster, Fleming, because next time you and I come face to face, there's going to be one less of us. Get that? Come heeled!"

Roper paused with a final wolfish snarl. "Yuh'll hear from me too, Fleming! Yuh can't pull no gun on me, and yuh can't talk to me like that. I'll bust yore lousy dam sky high. Wait and see!"

He strode angrily away. Gyp Vaille close behind, wordless, but hurling back sullen, glowering hate that would have frightened men made of less stern stuff. Link and Buster followed, watched them climb the ladder to the embankment top, then hoisted their guns. They looked at each other.

"Boss, you're marked. I—I shore wish Mell hadn't put yuh down in his callin' list like that." Buster shivered slightly. His face was deeply troubled as he shook his head. "I wouldn't want Jackpot gunnin' for me. He's one of the surest killers in the west!"

Plainly Townsend regarded his employer as a doomed man. If Jackpot meant to kill him . . .

Link scowled down, trying to tell himself this was foolishness, too profound a respect for Mell's shooting and his record of cold-blooded killings that was wholly unwarranted by facts.

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been hurtled into eternity by the roar of the gambler's guns.

Seven men. . . Seven men. . . The phrase rang through his brain with dread, ominous significance. "Link Fleming was crazy—must've been!" He seemed to hear post-mortem gossipers. "Would a sane man go up against Jackpot Mell? He's a dead shot, hasn't got a nerve in his frame!"

Fleming passed a hand over his forehead, shook himself grimly, and turned. It was no disgrace to feel apprehension about a thing like this. . .

"Get the boys back to work, Buster." To shake the fearful, pitying eyes of his foreman off him, Link turned and went up the ladder. Reaching the top he found Helen waiting, looking from him indecisively after Kilgo, Vaille, and Jackpot.

"What happened? What were you quarreling about?" she breathed anxiously.

He did not answer for a moment, then his eyes, hard with anger, softened. Link reached out and patted her arm.

"Leave worries to me, honey," he said in a low tone. "I've got a lot already. A few more won't matter."

(To Be Continued)

A Tall Drum-Major

Abyssinian In Royal Band Is Over Seven Feet

Balihu, the Abyssinian drummer-major, 7 feet 7 inches tall, was discovered by Emperor Haile Selassie.

In October, 1934, Balihu was brought to Addis Ababa from Jimma to be tried on the charge of having murdered a friend.

In peace-time the shillot, which is the highest court in Abyssinia, is held every Friday. Very often the emperor is the chief judge, and thousands of people are present at the hearings.

When Balihu was brought forward the emperor was astonished. He had never seen so tall a man before.

Abyssinian law is modelled on that of Solomon—"an eye for an eye, and a tooth for tooth." So the emperor stopped the case by paying a sum of 1,000 thalers (about \$350) to the relatives of the dead man. The next day Balihu was taken into the emperor's service. For a while he was umbrella-holder to the five-foot Negus but then he was transferred to the royal band, where he became the drum-major.

Parks As Memorials

Suggested To Commemorate Late King George And Queen Astrid

When King Leopold was staying at Buckingham Palace in January he mentioned to the King and Queen Mary the project of a series of children's parks in Belgium to commemorate the late Queen Astrid. Now it seems likely that the memory of the late King George is to be kept in the same way in England.

It is typical of the great interest that is taken in children and their welfare by modern royal personages that two great royal child-lovers, both beloved of their people, should be remembered in the same way.

Leaves Public Guessing

New Type Picture Is Built Around Razor Blade

One artist seems to have solved the problem of what to do with old razor blades.

He is Ramon Rebajes, who is exhibiting in New York a picture called "White Man's Dust". Glued to the canvas is the old razor blade, and round it are pins and needles, curtain rings, a toothbrush, tacks, dice, and a few examples of jewelry from a five-and-ten store.

The work is intended to convey Mr. Rebajes's "message" to posterity, he says, but leaves the public to decide what that message is.

Features Single Product

A museum, one of the first of its kind, has just been opened at Halas, Hungary. It features a single product, the famous Halas lace, made by descendants of the Cumans, a tribe of Turkish origin who settled in Europe at the beginning of the thirteenth century and introduced their highly decorative arts to the eastern world.

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Little Helps For This Week

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Thou hast my flesh, Thy hallowed shrine, Devoted solely to Thy will; Here let Thy light forever shine, This house still let Thy presence fill; O Source of Life, live, dwell and move In me, till all my life be love.

May it not be a comfort to those of us who feel we have not the mental or spiritual power that others have, to notice that the living sacrifice mentioned in Romans 12:1, is our bodies? Of course that includes the mental power, but does it not also include the loving sympathizing glance, the kind encouraging word, the ready errand for another, the work of our hands, opportunities for all of which come oftener in the day than for the mental power we are tempted to envy? May we be enabled to offer willingly what we have.

Lives In Two Countries

Woman's House Half In Germany And Half In France

In Lauterburg, a frontier town of Alsace-Lorraine lies a 63-year-old woman whose house straddles the Franco-German border. She pays taxes on her land to both countries. Her bedroom is in Germany; her living room in France.

In French Lauterburg they call her Mademoiselle Maria Morgan. In German Lauterburg they call her Fraulein Maria Morgan.

Her niece lives next door in Germany. She is engaged to a youth who lives on the other side of the house, in France. The niece will inherit the border house. If she has children there, their nationality will depend on the part of the house they are born in.

An interviewer asked Fraulein Morgan what she thought of the political situation. She was standing on German soil, under the watchful eye of Nazi customs official. Fraulein Maria answered: "No political discussions here."

But, when persuaded to step to the French side of her little house, said Mademoiselle Maria: "If all the French and all the Germans lived on the border there would be no quarrel. Border folk just have to get on with each other, otherwise life stops still."

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It will be remembered that in June of that year the Canadian Pacific had to raise the sixty millions to meet maturing obligations. The money markets of the world were then feeling the full effect of the financial crisis and were closed with the result that it was not possible for a Canadian institution to borrow so large a sum on advantageous terms. The Canadian banks therefore agreed to combine in making this loan, but as an added measure of security to the banks, the Dominion Government agreed

to guarantee re-payment of the loan both as to principal and interest. The loan was to mature in five years, or might be paid off by the Canadian Pacific prior thereto on notice to be given to the banks. It has been paid off in full in less than three years, and the obligation of the Government to guarantee payment came to an end automatically the moment the cheques issued today were presented. Furthermore, since all interest and other charges have been paid by the Company, the entire transaction has not cost the Dominion Government one cent. The loan originally carried an interest rate of five per cent, but later this was reduced to four and a half per cent. New loans raised by the Company to pay this off were made at a still lower rate of interest.

SOCIAL CREDIT NOTES.

Didsbury Group No. 1 held their first box social last Saturday night in the Peterson Block, with a good attendance. President A. Schweihsinger welcomed the guests and thanked Mr. E. P. Foster, local provincial member, for his accepting the invitation to be guest-of-honor. Mr. Foster in his reply promised to give Didsbury district a mass meeting in town the first part of June and urged the people within a radius of ten miles to attend this meeting, as it is impossible for him to speak in every school house in the district. The selections offered by the radio trio, "The Edwards Boys," Albert McLaurie and Sid Morasch, were much enjoyed and appreciated, and the group is pleased to call these young artistes its members. After the entertainment the boxes were auctioned off and lunch was enjoyed by all. The group wishes to thank all who assisted in making the social a success, especially Mr. and Mrs. F. Hughes for donating the hall free of charge. The next meeting will be held on Monday, June 1 at the home of Mrs. Jack Cummins. Everyone welcome.

The Didsbury Pioneer Group held its last meeting at the home of the president, Mr. Manasseh Weber. The president reviewed the previous week's study, "The Progress of Social Credit in Canada and the U.S." and again pointed out that Social Credit is rapidly spreading all over North America, in spite of all the opposition it is encountering. The main study this week was on the work of our provincial parliaments in dealing with the problem of the coal trust and its detriment to the welfare of the country. The speaker clearly revealed that there could be no "prosperity around the corner" so long as the financiers controlled the people's credit. The next meeting will be held at the home of E. N. Boettger on Monday evening, May 25 at 8 o'clock. Everybody welcome.

Elkton Notes.

Walter Dobson spent the weekend at his home.

Quite a number of people called at the Hogg home over weekend to see the seven little coyotes the boys dug out.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Bagshaw and family were visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Byrt, on Sunday.

Dan Russell is laid up with a badly injured ankle. We hope that he will soon be around again. Mr. and Mrs. C. Rhinehart visited him on Sunday.

To The Members of the Calf Club.

During the season of 1935 we had a reasonably successful Dairy Club in this district. I say reasonably successful because there is room for plenty of improvement in the number of members, and also in the enthusiasm shown in supporting the club.

Your Supervisor will have to shoulder his share of the blame, as other things interfered too much with club work, but with more time to be given to the work this year, I hope to see you more regularly than last season.

We want more members this year than last year. In fact, we should not begin with less than thirty members, in order that we have a really good club, and we would like to have larger turnouts to club meetings. It is really discouraging to your leader to arrange for stock for judging classes time after time, and find that only a handful of the members come.

Let us get together this season and put over a real summer's work and wind up by going to Toronto again.

Meetings will be arranged shortly to reorganize the club for the season and lay our plans. In the meantime, anyone interested in joining the club should get in touch with Delbert Levagood, Pres.; Ethel Bruce, Secretary, or your leader, Reid Clarke.

F. F. PARKINSON,
Club Supervisor.

LOCAL & GENERAL

Len Berscht drove to Three Hills on Wednesday evening.

C. H. Adshead made a business trip to Calgary on Tuesday.

Rugby School has again been closed on account of measles.

Miss Emily Moyle left Monday for Montreal and Toronto, where she will visit with her sisters.

Mr. A. West, bursar at the University of Alberta, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McGhee

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Lunt motored to the southern city Tuesday to visit with relatives.

Miss Lillian Kenney, of Olds, spent the weekend with her sister, Mrs. Russell Berscht.

We have just received a shipment of the latest styles in Ladies' Travelling Cases.—T. E. Scott

Mrs. W. Marshall and son Russell and Mrs. W. Waycott, of Calgary, are visitors with Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Rodney.

Henry Banks, who was injured in a truck accident, is now out of the Didsbury Hospital and convalescing in town with friends.

Westcott Ladies Aid of the Knox Church met at the home of Mrs. Hogg last Wednesday, with fifteen members and a number of visitors present.

Miss Lolita Weber and Mrs. R. I. Bond, of Edmonton, and Donald Weber, of Great Bear Lake, were visitors at the home of Mrs. Reitzel.

Miss Holly Hunsperger left on Saturday for Vancouver, where she has secured a position as assistant instructor in the Maxine College of Beauty Culture.

How about a new pair of Oxfords for the holiday? We have them from \$2.75 up.—T. E. Scott

Mrs. J. Hosegood went to Edmonton last week to attend the graduation exercises at the University, when her daughter, Connie, graduated. They returned home Monday.

Mrs. Bolander, who recently attained the age of 70 years, reports that she painted her own house last week. She says that a lot of houses around need paint and that this may pep up some of the men.

Commencing next Wednesday the Sharp Circuit Shows at the Opera House will revert to the regular film again. Regular prices will also prevail—35c and 20c. Shows start 8:30 p.m.

Mr. J. A. McGhee entertained at a stag party to a number of his friends in honor of his birthday last Friday evening. They say that salt wasn't spilt, but other things were!

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The ladies of St. Anthony's Church will hold a card party and social at the home of Mrs. Henning Fischer, 3 miles west of town, Friday evening May 29.

A benefit dance will be given in the Rosebud School this Friday evening, May 22. The proceeds will be presented to Mr. and Mrs. Imm, who lost their home by fire this week.

A Social Credit meeting will be held at Westcott School on Wed., May 27 at 8 p.m., when E. P. Foster, M.L.A., will deliver an address. A pie social will be held at the close of the meeting. All ladies interested in the Westcott Group please bring pies.

The fishing season opened last weekend and a number of devotees went out to try their luck. Jim Halton and Chas. Mortimer drew a blank; George Julien came in with one, but the Big Four, McCloy, Johnson, Kirby and Reiber, made a haul of seven. They report the streams as being muddy and fishing not up to the mark.

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Departmental examinations in academic subjects would open on Monday, June 15, and close on Tuesday, June 30, it has been announced.

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The Municipality of Westerdale, No. 311, has arranged with the dealers in gopher poison at Didsbury, Olds and other points, to supply an equal amount of gopher poison to that paid for by the farmers of the municipality, the arrangement to be in effect until the 1st day of June, 1936.

The Council requests that the farmers place their poison early.

A. McNaughton, Sec.-Treas.
Municipality of Westerdale
No. 311